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## **NORTH BOUND BOX SPRINGS OFF RAMP ON THE 60/215 FREEWAYS TO CLOSE**

**RIVERSIDE** – The California Department of Transportation, (Caltrans) announces the closure of the northbound Box Springs off ramp. The closure will begin on Tuesday, May 15, 2007 and will not reopen until May 31, 2008. The detour for motorists will be the Central Avenue off ramp. During this closure, the contractor will be reconstructing the bridge over the railroad as well as reconstructing the ramp.

In conjunction with this closure, the following connector ramps will be closed. Ramp closures will not occur simultaneously.

Location	Date & Time	Detour
Westbound 60 connector to the northbound 215	Tuesday, 5/15/07 through Friday, 5/18/07 9:00 PM to 5:00 AM	Southbound 215 to Eucalyptus to the northbound 215
Northbound 215 connector to the northbound 215/ westbound 60	Tuesday, 5/15/07 through Friday, 5/18/07 9:00 PM to 5:00 AM	Eastbound 60 to Day Street to the northbound 215/ westbound 60

### **Only one connector ramp will be closed at a time.**

The Box Springs construction is part of the \$320 million improvement project of the 60/91/215 freeway interchange area. The three freeways make up the critical links between the Inland Empire communities of both Riverside and San Bernardino County. The Riverside County Transportation Commission (RCTC) and the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) have partnered with Caltrans in the efforts to improve the mobility of these freeways that carry both commuter and commercial traffic throughout the region.

Caltrans would like to thank motorists for their continued patience and support during the 60/91/215 improvement project. Caltrans asks that motorists please be aware of the construction area and always make a point to ***SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE***.

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